

# DIVISION/CONTINUATION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL FORM

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO.

RD-27,027-3

Express Mail" mailing label number

Date of Deposit

PRIOR APPLICATION:

EXAMINER

J. Lund

ART UNIT

1763

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a ☐ continuation ☒ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53 (b), of pending prior application

Serial No. 09/340,793 filed on June 28, 1999

, of:

Thomas Bert Gorczyca

Udo Heinz Retzlaff

Stephan (nmn) Popp

(Inventor)

For SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESSING ARTICLE

(Title of Invention)

## ENCLOSED ARE:

1. ☒ Specification having 19 total pages.
2. ☒ 3 sheets of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawings.
3. ☒ Declaration ☒ copy from prior application.  
☐ newly executed (if additional inventor(s) under 37 CFR 1.63(d) (5).
4. ☐ Preliminary Amendment.
5. ☐ Signed statement deleting inventor(s) named in prior application under 37 CFR 1.63 (d) (2).
6. ☐ The power of attorney or correspondence address was was changed during prosecution of the prior application.  
A copy of the new power of attorney or correspondence address is submitted herewith under 37 CFR 1.63 (d) (4).
7. ☒ Other Information Disclosure Statement for continuing application.

The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION, LESS  
ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW

	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	BASIC FEE \$740.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	20 - 20 =	0	X \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 - 3 =	0	X \$84.00	\$0.00
ADDITIONAL FEE FOR USE OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (once per application)			X \$280.00	
TOTAL FILING FEE				\$740.00

# DIVISION/CONTINUATION APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL FORM

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO.

RD-27,027-3

8. ☒ Please charge \$740.00 to my Deposit Account No. 07-0868.
9. ☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0868.
10. ☒ Cancel in this application original claims 1-11 and 32-34 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
11. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This application is a ☐ continuation ☒ division of application Serial No. 09/340,793, filed 06/28/99, which is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety.
12. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. filed on in is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. (country)
- ☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior application Serial No. , filed .

## SEND CORRESPONDENCE TO:

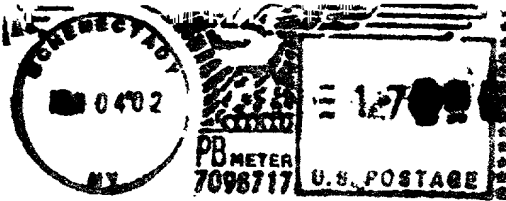
General Electric Company  
CRD Patent Docket Rm 4A59  
P.O. Box 8, Bldg. K1 - Salamone  
Schenectady, New York 12301  
Customer Number: 006147

January 2, 2002  
(date)

Toan P. Vo  
Signature Toan P. Vo  
Reg. No. 43,225  
☒ attorney or agent of record  
☐ Filed under §1.34(a)

Three copies of this form are enclosed.

000 PATENT DOCKET #MM7A-0  
PO BOX 8, BLDG. K-1 - BALTIMORE  
MONTGOMERY, MD 21201



Jc879 U.S. PTO  
10/067380  
02/07/02

# PATENT APPLICATION

BOX: \_\_\_\_\_  
~~ASSISTANT~~ COMMISSIONER  
FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, DC 20231